



# Press Release

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### Minimum Security Facility Closing

Last year on December 14, 2009 the Minimum Security Jail was closed, and 14 Corrections officers laid-off, due to \$1.5 million dollars in budget cuts to the Lake County Sheriff's Office. However, the building at 2025 Blasé-Nemeth Road in Painesville Township remained opened for the issuance of Concealed Carry Permits, as well as the administration of the Sexual Offenders Registration program.

However, pursuant to a letter we received from the Lake County Commissioners, the Sheriff's Office Minimum Security Facility at 2025 Blasé-Nemeth Road, in Painesville Township, will be officially closed on Monday, December 13, 2010. In their letter to the Sheriff the Commissioners explained that due to the "economic climate and, the County's cost cutting efforts", this closing needed to be done.

As a result of this closure, the issuance of Concealed Carry Permits Program, as well as the Registration of Sexual Offenders Program that are currently handled at this facility, will be relocated to the Commissioners Vehicle Maintenance Garage at 4485 North Ridge Road, North Perry, Ohio 44081.

To facilitate the orderly transition of operations, the Concealed Carry Permit Program, and the Registration of Sexual Offenders Program will be closed Thursday and Friday, December 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>, 2010. Operations will resume at the new facility at 4485 North Ridge Road in North Perry on Monday, December 13, 2010.

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